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FRENCH NOTE TO BRITAIN.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, February 1. It is authoritatively learned that the French Government has strike in the Cologne district, except the British zone. sent the British Government a note to the effect that France reserves the right to undertake separate negotiations with Turkey in the event of a failure of the Lausanne Conference. London, later.

The note mentioned earlier is regarded in alloaden as showing it there is no truth in a French newspaper report that France has sent office, awaiting the French members. a note to Angora and despatched copies of it to London and to Rome. In any case the latest developments at Lausanne appear to put the French note in abeyance for the time being, as it is hoped the Conference will successfully terminate within the next three days.

Lausanne, February L. ject to certain reservations, motably regarding the Turks' desire to director, two high officials, and four railwaymen as a result of these have a garrison at Gallipoli. Ismet declared Turkey had made a great concession in opening the Straits, thereby weakening the defences of Constantinople, and said he hoped this would be given due weight in the general problem. Lord Curzon, replying, reiterated the Allied views relative to the garrison at Gallipoli, and said the declared that Germany would not slacken her passive resistance re-Allies would not impose the convention on Russia.

M. Chicherin declared the scheme menaced the security of Russia, Georgia and the Ukraine, and showed the impotence of the Conference to make peace. Russia reserved freedom of action. Lord Curson finally said he hoped Russia would ultimately sign.

BRITAIN'S DEBT TO AMERICA.

What It Means for Taxpayers.

London, February 1. Attorney-General Hogg, speaking in London, emphasised the difficulty of the Cabinet's decision as regards the American debt, because it meant taxation at the rate of a pound a head yearly over the whole population of Britain for sixty odd years. The Cabinet! considered that when England promised to pay it was worth any *acrifice to redeem her word if the creditor chose to exact the promise, and it was worth almost any sacrifice also to maintain friendly. relations between the two great English-speaking peoples in these days of unrest and turmoil Referring to the Ruhr, he said the events of the past month had justified the British refusal to assist the French in their plan of exacting reparations.

Effect on Exchange.

London, February, 1 The American debt news, also the more hopeful outlook at! Lausanne, has favourably influenced the Stock Exchange and foreign exchanges. Marks closed at 190,000 to 193,000. Franch francs! at 78 85. Pelgian at 91 35, the lire at 981x, and sterling at 4 665x.

Washington, February 1. A note of opposition to the Anglo-American debt settlement has meetings in public when its thinks fit. been sounded by Mr. McKellar in the Senate, who declared that! Congress was not entitled to grant a bonus or subsidy, and contended that the American commission exceeded its authority in suggesting more liberal terms than Congress had authorised.

Sir Auskland Geddes declared the remarks are without foundation which have been attributed to Mr. Baldwin on his arrival at brought up from the mine; and shout three hundred men are sti Southampton, to the effect that the Britishdebt had got on American lentombed. nerves and Congress would not willingly eat its own legislation. Mr. Baldwin did not criticise or cast aspersions on any section of $_{
m c}$ Americans

Washington, February I.

IRISH KIDNAPPING CASES.

Reprisals Crisis Averted.

London, February 1. The Irish Senator Bagwell, who was captured by rehels, has been released.

Dublin, February 1. While the Republican Chief of Staff has issued a proclamation! refusing to give up the hostages, saying that punishment will be inflicted on members of both Houses of the Irish Parliament if the Government's threatened reprisals in connection with the kidnapping of Senator Bagwell are carried out, there are indications that the Republicans at least afforded Mr. Bagwell facilities to escape, thus temporarily averting a fresh reprisal crisis.

THE POISONED CHOCOLATES.

Balham Resident Arrested.

London, February 1. Walter Tatam, aged forty-two, the son of wealthy Balham residents, was charged at Bow Street with attempting to poison Sin William Horwood, on November 9, also Assistant Commissioners of then that Mrs. Anderson missed in the Ezyptian Army, being recent manifesto, stating that he asked permission to be given time Police Trevorn Bingham and Elliott on November 6. The police told a dramatic story of the arrest of the accused at his parents' residence. The prisoner unsheathed a sword-stick and accused the police of trying to murder him at Farnham. He was eventually overpowered. The police knew the prisoner had been detained as a certified lunatic for some years.

SIGNS OF TRADE RECOVERY.

London, February L. Mr. Walter Leaf, speaking at the annual meeting of the London labour was imposed by the Mag. don during the war, being be difficult to arrange real dis-County and Westminster Bank, said the action of France in the istrate on the defendant who had mentioned in the "ozelle bandment. All public bodies Ruhr was very disquieting, as it served to complete the economic entered a plea of guilty. Before for good services and throughout the country would be collapse of Germany. Nevertheless there were definite signs of a being 1-d out of the Court he ask. raised to the rank of Colonel. consulted. Such a conference strong trade revival, and the encouraging newspaper reports of ed:-"Mr. Interpreter, what about | He is Deputy Lieutenant for the would discuss 'Sun Yat-sen's resent the Club in their League business recovery were fully confirmed by the banks and managers my pay? I have not received it County of Meath. of different industrial centres. Perhaps the cotton trade was suffer- as yet." ing most, owing to the weakness of demand from India and from The Interpreter :- That is your Miss Margery Boan, daughter visability of asking the foreign Railton, Stewart, Donovan, May, China, but the iron trade was showing renewed activity and the coal own look out: You have been of Mr. Boan, Australia and Powers' assistance and advice. Foreyth, (Capt.), Begg, Valentine, trade was very active.

GERMAN DEMONSTRATIONS.

FRIDAY,

Attack on French Official.

Reuter's Service.

Mayonce, February 1. The superintendent of railways here has been arrested. wires between Dortmund and Duesseldorf have been cut. Paris. February 1

A message from Duesseldorf says there is a general-railway Berlin, February 1

It is reported from Koenigsberg that a motor-car containing members of the Inter-Allied Mission has been attacked by students who struck onell reachman. Demonstrations outside the Mission's quarters continued all night, and a large crowd is still besinging the

Paris, February 1. The Terms publishes a report from Mayence that two serious attempts have been made in the Ruhr at train wrecking. In one case the rails were removed near Highelheim and the Coblenca train was derailed. In the other case the points were deflected. In both cases Ismet Pasha agreet to the proposed regime of the Straits, sub- there were no casualties. The arrest has been effected of the callway

Passive Resistance.

Rotterdam, February I. In an interview with a Dutch correspondent, Chancellur Cano lative to the Ruhr, but in no case would be tempted to offer active resistance which she cannot support.

Cologne. February I. An understanding has been reached whereby the railwaymen will resume work in the Cologne area, after the withdrawal of French and Belgian guards from the stations. The restriction will, operate concerning transport of coal to other reparations trains. The Belgians have seized the main customs office at Aix-la-Chapelle and ejected the officials. Many motorcars and forries have also been requistioned. It is estimated that there is ample food in the Cologne area for two months unless the transport situation is further aggravated.

HELPING AUSTRIA TO RECOVER.

Paris, February T. The successful progress of the reconstruction of Austria Mader the anspices of the League of Nations was emphasised by althou speakers at to-day's meeting of the Council o' the League. Alord Balfour described the League's work in this connection as the greatest constructive effort hitherto made to extricate Europe from economic chaos, and appealed to investors to subscribe to the Austrian loan. Following an appeal by the Austrian Chancellor Seipel, Signor Salandra, M. Viviani, Lord Balfour and the Czecho-Slovakian representative all announced the willingness of their Governments to conclude commercial treaties with Austria.

LEAGUE OPIUM COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

Paris, February L. The Council of the League of Nations has adopted the report of the advisory opium committee, and has authorised it to hold its

G RMAN MINE DISASTER.

Berlin, February L. A message from Beuthen states that sixty dead chave been

MEXICAN STRIKERS KILLED.

Mexico City, February 1. A violent collision between tram strikers and the military has resulted in at least ten persons being killed and fifty injured.

of the Telegrams on Fane 2. .

Pawned European's Clothing.

COOK IN TROUBLE.

The lapse of a Chinese cook who endeavoured to increase his income by pawning his employer's clothing was the subject of a charge heard before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Police Court this morning. Altogether eight pieces peer, being the sixth holder of of attire were named in the the title, which was created in charge, these having been pawned 1748, succeeding his father to from time to time since defendant's the title in 1873. He was ergagement by Mr. J. Anderson, born in 1865 and was educat-No. 8. Knutsford Terrace.

sentenced to two months.

LORD ATHLUMNEY.

Distinguished Visitor Here.

Among the passengers arriving by the Hakone Maru were Lorand Lady Athlumney. Baron Athlumney is an Irish

ed at Harrow. He was Page It was stated that the discovery of Honour to three Viceroys of was made yesterday morning Ireland and was also A. D. C. to Peking, Feb. 1st.—The Premier. Defendant replied that he when the contents of the linen, three Viceroys. He served with Chang Shou-tseng, has telegraph- merely wanted to inform his is the attraction at the World chest were gone through. It was the Coldstream Guards and later ically replied to Sun Yat-sen's master of the decision and again Theatre.-Page 12. several pairs of trousers which A. D. C. to the late i Lord agrees with the suggestions for to seek him out and get him to pay recommends good cook boy. she distinctly remembered having | Kitchener. He served in the the dishandment of half the exist. the fine. been placed therein the previous Dongola Expedition, 1866 (des- ing troops and the formation of a Sunday. The police were notified, patches, Order of the Osmanieh. Labour Corps therefrom, also the fine before four o'clock, and Sergeant Dorling, in a search Order of the Medjidie, Soudan suggestions for peaceful rehe made of the defendant, discover- | Medal and two clasps. English unification. ed three pawn tickets relating to | medal) and commanded a the trousers in question, as well battery of machine guns calling of a conference of re-

l Pyporte, Cobham, Surrey.

CHILD LABOUR.

Interesting Chat with Mr. Hallifax:

The Industrial Employment of Children Ordinance has been on month, and there are those who shop at No. 26, Queen's Road gaged.

are already asking what is being Eas, led to the appearance of the The done under its provisions to rerecently went so far as to suggest that the Ordinance was already very much of a dead letter and so. in the spirit of enquiry, Telegraph representative this morning called on the Hon. Mr.

very interesting interview.

away to put into operation the other articles on pawn. penal sections of the Ordinance. In reply to the Magistrate, Town, where the grass was ablaze The carrying out of the provi- defendant said he could not have on the hillside. This turned out sions of the Ordinance would have, had cause to suspect, as to be not so serious, and evenvery largely, to be brought about the man who pawned by educational methods. Trans- was "respectable-looking lated copies of the Ordinance and all wrapped up in silk." circulated to all known employers | tsung when he accepted \$30 and | ten this morning announcing yet of labour, registers had been handed over the brooch, giving another outbreak on the billside employed, and the "Inspector wealthy Chinese. under the Ordinance [Mr.] F.C. Meade) was going round in- Messrs. Sennet Freres, was called structing employers how to keep to give evidence as to the value such registers and how not to of the brooch, and he said that it employ children for certain work would be worth between \$300 and or below a certain age. The \$350. assistance of the Police, the Sanitary Board and the District!

list of employers of children, and less. was going shead.

offence, and there has already it at \$300. I entered its value in the police. been an appreciable decrease in the books as \$80. the number of young people to be for carrying purposes. So far as the factories are concerned, the work is fairly easy sailing, but even with others the Ordinance is having its own effect. I think: There is anxiety on the part of the Chinese to do anything they lowner insured the brooch for reasonably can to help the chil \$1,000 taels. .. dren. When we were discussing

reasonably possible. "When we get our data as i and when the provisions of the the Ordinance through the Courts. The Ordinance is by no means a dead letter, but there is a right way and a wrong way to carry it out. We think we are proceeding on the right lines."

SUN'S UNIFICATION PROPOSALS.

Approved by the Premier.

Chang Shou-ts-ng suggests the

as others tickets he had received in . the South African presentatives of, the Central from time to time during his campaign (despatches, medal Government and all military frequent visits to the pawnshop and four clasps). He acted as leaders throughout the country, Sentence of two months' hard Provost Marshal of Lon- at which he considers it will not Reuler.

A DIAMOND BROOCH

Pawnshop Accountant's Negligence.

the statute book just over one monds, valued at \$600, in a pawn; and kept the Brigade busily enaccountant before Mr. R. strict the employment of young Lindsell, at the Police Court this is believed to have caused these detaining the pawner of the jewellery when he had cause to other contributory cause. suspect that the article had been unlawfully obtained.

E. R. Hallitax, who is the Protecting, stated that the loss of a Repulse Bays were destroyed in tor of Juvenile Labour under the Brooch of a description tallying the first outbreak which occurred Ordinance, and was granted a with the appearance of the article yesterday afternoon and assumed produced in the Court was re- such slarming proportions that At the outset, Mr. Hallifax ported by Mrs. Liddell during a the Brigade had to stand by pointed out that it was manifest- recent visit to this Colony. On in case the flames spread to ly impossible suddenly to apply one of his periodical visits to the residences. This fire was still a cut and dried list of restrictive pawashop a Chinese detective burning when the Brigade reregulations and then begin right discovered the brooch amongst ceived a second call to go with all

Regulations had already been mangave his name as Taui Ngok, third call came through at about

Mr. Eugene Gotschell,

Defendant broke in at this ment. Watchmen had been secured in juncture and said; that his an endeavour to get a complete valuation of the brooch was much

the work of educating all kinds. His Worship:-Supposing a of employers up to a complete respectable-looking Chinese had understanding of the Ordinance brought it to you for sale at more than \$390?

value might be due to the fact | February. that there is a duty of 100 per cent, on diamonds in the States.

It was also mentioned that the

Mr. Gotschell, in reply to the the points of factory employment. Magistrate, said that the brooch this legislation was pracfically might be worn by Europeans, but suggested by them and they are in his experience he had never very keen on doing anything known a Chinese to bur such a

The defendant contended that on page 6. complete as we think is p saible, the brooch was not uncomn on to Hughes and Hough are holding the Chinese, because in these a public auction sale of valuable Orninance and its regulations days the Chinese are rapidly teskwood and blackwood furniare widely known, it will then be taking to foreign articles. The ture, etc. on the 6th, inst. - Page 4. time enough to start enforcing man who came to pawn it spoke. There will be a dance at the in the Shanzhai dialect.

> His Worship .- You are con- Page 4. victed. \$50 fine. If this thing happens again, you will lose your

Defendant asked permission to see his master.

His Worship: What for ?-To see if he consents to pay the fine. His Worship rejoined that a

His Worship: - You can pay the Defendant:-What about my

brooch? His Worship:-You will lose it

FOOTBALL.

The following team will repsuggestion for the raising of a game with the H.M.S. Tamar on demand to-day was 2s. 2.15/16d. Lady Athlumney was formerly Disbandment Loan and the ad-Saturday. - Angus, Gerrard, i England, Bishop.

GRASS FIRES.

Brigade Kept Busy.

Fires breaking out one after the other last evening and this morn-The discovery of a valuable ing have laid a large area of grass platinum brooch set with dia- and shrub land under devastation

The careless use of a match or morning on a charge of not outbreaks, to which the long spell lof dry weather is given as an-

Hundreds of young trees that had been carefully planted on the Sergeant Chevalier, prosecut- | hillside between Deep Water and lits spare equipment to Kennedy

it thally it was got under control. The blaze at Repulse Bay had This not been extinguished when a

issued in which were to be his address as No. 10, Anton near the Matilda Hospital. kept records of all children Street, tenanted by a number of The Brigade returned this afternoon and reported that an of extensive tract of land was involved, the trees and undergrowth situated between the Hospital and Mount Kellett Road being destroyed before the blaze was got under at eleven o'clock, nearly four bours after its commence-

DAY BY DAY.

With \$4,750 which he had just collected from the Bank of East "It is obvious that we cannot Defendant :- I would not buy. Asia, a shroff in the compradore begin the work of prosecuting Why were you willing to pawn department of the Bank of Canpeople in Court until they the brooch for \$30 when it is ton has absconded, according to know they have committed an worth \$300? -- I did not value a report received this morning by

His Worship (to Sergeant A Requeim Mass for the repose seen carrying loads. Our great Chevalier) :- I understand the of the soul of the late Mr. James people who do employ children owner values it at one thousand D. Osmund will be sung at the taels?-She bought it for \$600 Roman Catholic Cathedral at gold in America. The higher 7.30 a.m. on Saturday, 3rd

News in To-day's New Advertisements.

Desirable European Fiats are to let in Nathan Road, Kowloom. -Page 4. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., have an

announcement of interest to men

Palace Hotel to-morrow night .--

"For the Coronet Theatre programme, refer to page 12. An interesting notice concerning the catering department of Cafe Wiseman appears on page 6.

LISTEN!

Newspaper allertising las this Sojourn in gaol would be the one great advantage: - readers alternative, to a refusal to pay the great it in a receptive mood.

> "The House that Jazz Built " A resident leaving the Colony

Page 4. There will be no public performance at the Kowloon Theatre

to-night.-Page 12. Valuable leasehold properties will be sold by public auction on the 8th. inst. by Lammert

Brothers.-Page 4. "The Teeth of the Tiger" is the current attraction at the Star Theatre.-Page 12.

To-Day's Exchange.

The closing rate of the dollar on Lighting Up-Time.

Lighting-Up Time to-day 6.12



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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

CHINA'S OPIUM

Washington, Feb. 1. The Chairman of the Poreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives has introduced a resolution, requesting President Harding to urge world wide limitation of the production of narcotics and other habit-forming drugs.

London, Feb. 1. Mr. Chao Hain-chu, Chinese Charge d'Affaires in London, in letter to the London press says that as Sir Francis Aglen's suggestion for a temporary opium monopoly in China may result in making the attitude of the Chinese Government towards the opium problem misunderstood and controversial, he is directed to issue an official statement that such suggested legislation is not the policy Chinese Government, which in all sincerity intends to fulfil obligations to the Opium Convention.

Peking, Feb. 1.

The Directors of the International Anti-Opium Association special meeting unanimously passed a resolution that the Association is absolutely opposed to legalisation of the traffic in China and is shortly making a full statement of its views thereagent.

BRITAIN'S DEBT DECISION.

Washington, Feb. 1. President Harding is highly pleased with the news of the British Government's debt decision. Mr. Hughes termed the news most gratifying. Mr. Smoot, of the Debt Funding Commission, opined that Congress would pass the necessary legislation and not delay the ling the delay in the construction sidents, and the Government has Bill, which will probably be introduced on Monday.

New York, Feb. 1.

The immediate effect of Britain's acceptance of the debt funding proposal was the appreciation of foreign exchange and foreign bonds. The heads of the leading Banks regard the decision as the most important and constructive step since the war. Prominent business men are predicting that sterling will soon return to normal.

Washington, Feb. 1.

Official circles consider that Britain's acceptance of the deb terms in principle a step towards the breaking of the vicious circle of world debts, which will result in a substantial improvement in the world's condition. The newspapers praise the British attitude in not questioning its obligations.

THE RUHR OCCUPATION.

Essen, Feb. 1. Complete stagnation reigns. The Post Office has closed and telegraph and telephone communication has been severed. The railways are running only a skeleton service. As regards customs cordon of French troops has up to the present taken up positions a a number of stations, but the Eastern end of the Ruhr remains open, permitting unrestricted communication with Germany. The French have occupied the Customs offices at Duesseldorf, collected the Germani customs tax and expelled the officials.

The shortage of railway trucks is keenly felt. For example, yesterday, although 13,000 were ordered for coal and foodstuffs there was a shortage of 5,000, while to-day 7,000 are available compared with 17,000 ordered.

FRENCH NOTE TO TURKEY.

London, Feb. 1. Pending publication of the actual text of M. Poincare's note to Angora, the papers in London have generally reserved comments on the occurence, which was sensationally headlined yesterday; but while not wishing to attach too much importance to the incident regret the indirect fashion the news of the French Government's eleventh hour view reached London, as calculated to lead to further Anglo-French estrangement, with consequent reaction on the situation in Europe.

Lausanne, Feb. 1. The Russian delegation has refused to sign the Straits Convention.

GENEVA LABOUR CONVENTION.

Delhi, Feb. 1. The Council of State has decided to defer ratification of the Geneva labour draft convention, relating to workmen's compensation. social insurance and industrial protection for women and children.

HIS MAJESTY'S OPPOSITION.

London, Feb. 1. A meeting of Liberal Peers at the Reform Club unanimously passed a resolution for re-establishing a united Liberal opposition in the House of Lords. It appointed Viscount Grey as leader.

BILLIARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.

Last Night's Games.

creation Club last night.

splendid form, taking only an never lost it.

DORIS, I GOT FRUM

hour and a half to obtain his points. His best break was one of 74, whilst other good efforts were 55, 35 and 38. Tse's principal break was 44.

C. Earnshaw defeated the Hon. The opening games in the Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G., by 157 Colony's billiards championship points in a game which lasted were played at the Victoria Re- five minutes short of two hours, the scores being 500 to 343. The first game was played be- Earnshaw did well with breaks tween A. J. Osmund, a previous of 44, 39, 27; 23, 22 (three times) holder of the title, and Andrew 20 and 19, (twice). The Hon. Mr. Tse, the former winning by 201 Severn compiled a break of 36, noints, the scores being: Osmund one of 27 and two 18s. Earnshaw 500: Tse, 299. Osmund was in took the lead at the start and

KOWLOON RESIDENTS.

Interesting Report.

The third annual general meeting of the Kowloon Residents' Association is to be held in St. Andrews Church Hall on Monday, 12th inst. at 6 p.m., and the annual repor has been circulated. We take from

it the following precis: In presenting its report for 1922. the Committee has pleasure in recording a successful year of usefu endeavour on behalf of the resident of the Peninsula. The Association' membership, at the beginning o the year; stood at 171 and closed at 241, showing an increase of 70.

The accounts show a cash balance in hand at the close of the year of \$159.00.

The following precis will summarise the work for the year, the full correspondence on each sub. Public Works Department. ject being found in the appendices to this report:

dressed to the Government regard- bathing facilities for Kowloon r of the Kowloon Hospital. A definite start has now been mad with the first portion of the build

Strike Food Depot. - At the time of the general strike in March last. Kowloon was left somewhat atrand ed regarding fresh food supplies In consequence of a letter on the subject to the Government, a food depot was opened under the man agement of the President of the Association.

Water Supply. Water supply.-Owing to the in-

convenience caused by the water shortage and the unsuitable hours of supply, the Government's atten tion was directed thereto. A full supply to all the houses was almost immediately given.

Kowloon Football Club.-The Association supported the Kowloon Football Club in its endeavours to get a playing ground on the l'en insula. A ground has since been provided in Chatham Road.

Cemetery site.-The Association protested against the proposed site of a general cemetery near Ho Mun Tin, but, after the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher had visited the site with certain members of the Com. mittee, it was generally agreed that the site was the best in the locality for such a purpose.

Tramway service.-Enquiries have been addressed to the Government relative to the establishment of tramway service for Kowloon, but no details have yet been decided

Rents Ordinance. - Gratification a the renewal of the Rents Restriction Ordinance for a further year was expressed to the Government.

Public Latrines .- Owing to severa cases of street nuisances being re ported, it was decided to urge upon the Government the necessity which exists for more public conveniences in the Peninsula, and the Govern ment has promised to give its at tention to the matter.

Street noises.-Complaints have been addressed to the Police re. garding certain street noises and an abatement has been secured.

Police "raid" on amahs.—The bills amounting to \$9.36. Committee took exception to certain ovidence given in the Police balance of \$158.09, with no out- Remedies, Chinese Staff of the Court in connection with a police standing debts. Out of this bal-"raid" on amals on the footpaths ance, however, will have to be paid in Nathan Road, a letter of ex. the expenses incidental to the Club, Mr. L. J. Channing, Messrs, planation being addressed to the publication of this report and the newspapers.

King's Park recreation scheme. Government

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

The Scottish Cup.

Shanghai, Feb. 1. The draw for the third round of the Scottish Football. Cup has the attention of the Department. resulted as follows, the matches responsible that it is high time for a to be played on February 10th: a couple of atrect lamps to be

fermline v. Raith; Celtic v. East Nei Chong Road just outside and Fife; Third-Lanark v. Ayr; below the Young Wo Nursing Motherwell v. Falkirk; Dundee v. Home and the Fung Fal Terrace? Reuter.

worn to a dangerous extent, the road. renewal of the ring-bolts and Taxpayers are surely entitled to chackles was secured through the some consideration, and the im-

Bailing Facilities.

Bathing facilities.-The Associa-Kowloon Hospital.-During the tion has urged upon the Govern year several letters have been ad ment the desirability of providing promised to give its attention to the matter in time for the next bathing season.

Children's playground.-The ac. commodation in the Children's Playground, being out of all proportion to the number of children using the Committee approached the Goy. ernment with a view to an increase being provided. The only result the coffin was landed on a pleasant obtained, however, was the erection Praya East and put into a waiting. of six additional swings for the use of the children.

Lighting of public pier .- The lighting of the public pier being chapel and at the graveside. The so inadequate as to make landing chief mourners were Mr. A. el at night a dangerous proceeding, a Arculli, a solicitor practising with request for improvement was for the deceased and the staff of the warded to the Government. The deceased's firm. Among others committee's suggestion that electric present were the Chief Justice, Sir lighting be installed has been acted William Rees Davies, the Hon. upon, and a great improvement has Mr. J. H. Kemp, Mr. H. H. J. Police protection .- A strong letter

of protest against the inadequate policing of Kowloon was addressed to the Government, and the Com mittee are pleased to report tha the European staff was subsequent Beavis, H. K. Holmes, F. E. ly increased.

During the year advice has been given to several residents on the question of high rent charged the by their landlords.

At the expiration of Mr. Association's representative on the appointed to fill the vacancy.

elected in their stead. To the me who resigned, the Committee desires to express its thank for the services rendered, and also to the ot. Andrew's Church Vestry for so kindly granting the free use of the Church Hall for meetings

Hon. Treasurer's Report. The financial year commenced

holding of the Annual Meeting.

The year began with 171 effective ment's proposal to allocate certain bers. As the result of a circular portions of King's Park for recreat letter, addressed to as many re- P. Lammert, Mr. H. H. Gompertz, tional purposes, the Committee sidents of Kowloon as could be Mr. A. H. Hill, Messrs, Johnson addressed a letter of enquiry to the located at the time, 70 new members Stokes and Master, Mr. F. C. Jen were enrolled.

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the "Hongkong

Telegraph.")

A Grievance. Sir,-will you kindly accord me enace in the columns of your widely rend paper to enable me to call! Peterhead v. Aberdeen; Dun- installed on that part of the Wons

Hamilton; Boness v. Nithsdale; The surface of this part of the Hibernians v. Queen's Park -; road not being free from pits, it is almost impossible for one to walk home in the pitch darkness of the night without either tumbling over Dangerous swings.-The swings some debris or nearly spraming his the Children's Play-ground, ankles while innocently putting his? Chatham Road, having become feet on some irregular parts of the

mediate provision of a smooth surface of the road and a few lamps put up at reasonable distances ought not to be long denied them .- Yours, etc.,

PATERFAMILIAS. Hongkong, lat. Feb., 1023,

LATE MR. LEO LONGINOTTO.

The Funeral. The funeral of the late Mr. Led Longinotto last evening was attended by a large number of friends and members of the legal profession. Taken scross the harhour from Kowtoon in a lounch hearse which conveyed it to the Roman Cathelic Cemetery. The Rev. Father Teruzzi officiated both Gompertz, Mr. J. R. Wood, Mesers. W. E. L. Shenton, E. Davidson, C. D. Melbourne, H. A. Nisbet, H. C. Macasmara, R. E. A. Webster, C. Bulmer Johnson, C.

Hall, M. H. Turner, C. E. H. Nash, P. Heathcote, J. D. F. Mulder, J. P. Robinson, D. O. de Silva and Mr. and Mrs. J. Steel. Among those who sent wreaths

R. Haywood, C. H. Lyson, A. E.

were the following: Mr. G. R. Haywood, Mr. S. A. Jackson's term of service as the B. Bux, Miss Bertha Redrigues, Mrs. Franklin M. Weller, Mr. and Education Board, Mr. B. Wylie was Mrs. F. H. Crapnell, Mr. G. K, Hall Brutton, Mr. H. K. Woo, Mr. The Hon. Trensurer, Mr. Shroff, H. B. Hind, Messrs, G. K. Hall resigned during the year and Mr. Brutton & Co., Mesers. Lo and Lo, W. J. Stokes was elected to fill the Mr. Lau Yu-fong, Mr. Lam Shiuvacancy. Messrs. A. Hicks, S. lai, Mr. A. H. Moosdeen, Mr. W. Hidden, and Dr. Strahan resigned H. Young, Mr. D. Chellaram, Mr. from the Committee owing to their K. P. Chan, Messrs. D'Almada teaving Kowloon, and Messrs. G. and Mason, Messrs. Lee and Russ, W. Avenell and W. S. Bailey were Mr. and Mrs. A. el Arculli, Mr. J. M. P. da Silva, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Forbes, Messrs. Hastings and Hastings, A. Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Steel, Mr. and Mrs. Flyne, Mrs. Eileen · Steel, A. Friend, Mesars, Deacon, 'Harston' and Shenton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Seth, Mr. H. Percy Smith, Mrs. J. D. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. F. Mulder, Mr. J. M. MacCarthy, with a cash balance of \$2.63, which Mr. Vivian Benjamin, Mr. E. S. was three than offset by unpaid Abraham, Messrs. Kum Kee, Mr. Ishmael Chan, Mr. and Mrs. Leo. The year closes with a credit D'Almada, Mr. J. M. D'Almada late' Mr. Longinotto's Office, the members of the Kowloon Cricket Law Society of Hongkong, Mr. F. E. Nash, Mr. Paget Heathcote, Mr. H. R. Phelips, Mr. and Mrs. In connection with the Govern members and closes with 241 mem- S. H. Brookshaw, Mr. Frank Lam mert, Mr. H. A. Lammert, Mr. &

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the bag selier brother The com- As a result of this last journey to be covered with innumerable Museum, and the

Court inspect it Caygill told the attached, by special request, ten lent of Police to ask his Wor. photographs of pygmies as well chapte refused tal.

The Magistrate pointed out that Royal Swedish Museum the nights' certificate that not Captain Philipps's experiences in the a that the tay was an danger among the pygmies, whose langif the the it was only a case of uage he learned; the observations musicame can a in the event of the made from mountain cares summary . At the the maximum the habits of gordla; and the dispermits w. At the a fig. of while covery of the new species of otter. and the control imposement. Which the authorities have named He towever, would in course the "Lutta paraony's philippei" in best to 82,1440 in our the pointer honour of his work, were describapplied the the defendant's orms ed recently in an interview with

RUSSIAN REFUGEES.

An Interesting!!Film.

benefit of Russian refugees at tienson is showing an improve- the old Auglo-tierman frontier to ment, accoming to the Neural Press. Ruanda, the 'roof of Africa.' Pictures representing scenes of their life in the port at present were brought to Scoul and screened at the Government House to follow was through Belgian mountain-foot, and when the journalists present at the New of Tanganyika, and thence along as one wished, smicking it amid Yearbanquet given themby Baron the western wall of the fireat expostulatory grunts. I do not

Saito, Governor-General. children at lessons gymnastics, in the neighbourhood of Lake sufficiently continuous contact and danging aid receiving Christ- Kivu. Thence through the new with them in their will state, mas presents, while Cossacks volcanoes the route to the Buitwa which is hardly, has one might were seen torse-rilling. Some mountains, beside the Elward come to learn he signs and jof zile children were dressed in Nyanzalake, where villages with. Indises which for them pass for Lapanese clothes contributed by in ritle shot above one take these language and which "indeed Japanese, and the picture of some days' mater to reach, and from appear to be of an unusually babies born a few days ago there into the great Equatorial leve oped kind for wild creatures women, and girls were nearliben depopulated by canniba miling while an elderly itues and raids. and camps at Matsuda Bay were harrive tracks I planned to mak-

i also soreened. pany of refugees carrying water Anzola. specially impressed the writer. comfortable yet not a very with three native orderhes from unhappy life under the hospitable. Eastern Africa:

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THEN HIS MALADERS

DISAPPEARED. . ithanks from india. Its writer, seum and officially described Provinces, states: -

has been without to various times as much as eighty inche maladies usual among infants round that chest and sixteen round during their teething period, the forearm, and their heigh Diarrhopa with slow fever was reaches seven or eight feet. The the leading trouble. The child Prince, who is a most experience

offect. His maladies then gradual- | beasts." dy disappeared, and by the time | Before attempting to shoot three via a were finished the child them. Captain Philipps spen

ba" regained his full strongth." No home where there are young observing the habits of th children should be without Baby's gorilla in their native forests Own Tablets. They are an ever- "These interesting beasts. ready remedy for infantile in- he said, only exist, as far as is y digestion, constipation, colic, known, in the Cameroon and the diarrhoes, teething pains, croup, Congo basin. In these parts man colds and worms. Druggists sell have been shot since their fir them, or post free, 60 cents the discovery about the middle of las vial, from Dr. Williams' Medicine | century. But those travellers wh

GORILLA LORE.

Journey Through African Continent.

INTERESTING RESEARCHES.

A series of journeys to every 11. F. Langell vestering with ill- country of the African continent treating a lay under the age of hi has recently been completed by years reher care. She was remanded Captain J. E. T. Philipps, M.C. for a week on Street bail as the R.B., of the Political Service; by complainent is untit to be dis- crossing on foot from Eastern to Western Africa under the The defendant was arrested on equator, by way of Lake Kivu. Wednesday night in sonsequence and through much country before of a report made to the police by untouched by any Englishman. plainant is an apprentice in the the only specimens of gorilla shap When examined at the hitherto shot within the Empire Police Station his body was found have been presented to the British marks as if he had been pinched paraonyx philippsi" a new species of otter, has been dis-Yesterday afternoon the defen covered. During the first month of dant was again brought before the the journey Captain Philipps was Magistrate that the had tustines Prince William of Sweden, whom trans from the Caytain Supering he helped to obtain interesting

> to tail, gobbling up the warm a representative of The Passage

"It had lose been my amb tion," he said, "to cross Africa from east to west through the great Equatorial forest. I ha come down from Abyssinia to Zanzibar. Thence to the Sudan Japanese relief work for the frontier, and from there across the Victoria "Nyanza, and along

THE RETTER there for local representative East Africa to the northern shore; haby has refused to eat as readily Divide of Africa to examine the think it by any means impossi-The pictures showed Russian proposed Caperto-Cairo rail route ble if one could ever be in thatmed all present. Numbers of Forest, the edge of which has

was mending boots. The hospital " Diverging from the mana I my way to the Lualaba and the All these pictures seemed to Upper Congo partly along assure the simplators that the Stanley's well-known route, and distress of the Russian refugees thence down the Congo by the at Genear, so innich written and French route to Lake Chad, and spoken about, has been greatly back again by Gaboon and the mitigated. A picture of a com- coast route to Fortuniese

"The first mouth of the expediregal ng to his mind a scene in tion was made in company with which Japanese at home Prince William of Swenen. The having lost their houses by fire, remainder of the time. abou were leading for a time an une seven months, I travelled alon-

"Four things resulted from During the showing of the the expedition; comfirmation of for the ex-German colony; th mapping of the area lying at the edge of the equatorial fires near Lake Kivu; and the dicovery of the "lairs parannys philipp-i," a species of clawles

otter, from the fathomles- crate

HABITS OF THE GOSTILLA.

lakes, where no fish exist.

"Specimens of two goritle an of the new Lutra paraonyx have Here is a nessage of praise and been presented to the British Mu Mr. B. Sharma, head clerk at the The gorilla are, I believe, the first Cavalry School, Sangor, Central specimens saliot within the Hupire. These animals attain, pre-"My baby son, aged 9 months, degious proportions, being a purzed as often as 30 times in 24 traveller, a first-class shot and at hours and vomited undirested excellent sportsman in every sense of the word, obtained speci "When I commenced giving mens for the Royal Museum him Baby's Own Tablets his con Stockholm. During an encounts dition appeared to be almost one of his men had his clothe holpeless but the contents of one torn into ribbons and his rifl vial had a marvellously soothing snapped by one of these infuriate:

considerable periods in close! Co., 69 Kiangse Road, Shanghai. have been able to obtain speci-

or the apportunity to observe their babits. It is, indeed, a most difficult thing to attain. The pygmies, where one can make friends with them, are the only guides. In watching the family groups building their nests and feeding in the forest glades I have always been careful immediately to obtain on the spot specimens of any fruit or berry which one saw them eating. These specimens have been subsequently identified, and the relative names communicated to the proper scientific quarter. The beasts! are, of course, partly carnivorous,

eating rate, mice, and even the

mens have seldom had the time

small antelope, which they catch with cunning devices. "The taby gorills which I had in captivity at my house after the shooting of the father and mother. who are now in the British Museum, showed extraordinary cunning in catching mice. It would place small pieces of warm potato near mouseholes outside the kitchen wall, and lie apparently asleep basking in the sun close by. When the mouse, attracted as specimens of gorilla for the by the smell of the food, emerged to find all quiet, he would make a sudden grab, cutting off from its hole and never missing it. Then it would hit the mouse's head against a

stone to kill it, and afterwards

would peak the skin off, as one

would peel a banana, from head

tlesh and spitting out the bones. "On the occasions when I have been so fortunate as to be able, from the lofty lava caves among the mountain forests, to observe family groups of these enormous apes. I have sometimes seen the father and mother with a child seated beneath a giant tree behaving in the most absurdly human fashion. Often one may see the mother feeding her newlyweaned child with fruit, ripe berries or hananas stolen from "Roughly, the route I planned some native plantation at the

> BYOMY, RAIDCAS. "The new ofter by necessity! is not a fish eater. It is a swamp otter, clawless, with differently formed teeth. It lives on mice and other small rodents, and is an incomizible excrobber, going to the nests of wild duck and cook, which abound among the purple water-lilies by the lake shores, and plundering

them of all their contents. " "The southern reaches of the ake, where this newotter is found. are now deserted. Within the last thirty years the prosperous! exeside population has been killed or drives off by pygmy. raids. These malignant intley reople are here arere of nomadil hunters who descend from their i mountain fastnesses to rail their -icher, larger brothers in the valleys. Their method of attack is sudden and by night, acmed with how and acrow, sometimes misoned with the sap of the -unhorbia tree.

"Their chief, one Gunsu, used frequently to come secretly by ight to tell me of any herd of dephant which had entered his! almost impenetrable domains. More squat and stronger than the rank and file, he was less than Rive fest high, and had large benetrating eyes, a grim prognahous jaw, and long arms, the ian i- reaching to the kneed.

"Often he used to say, "Oh. I ould have touched you when ist you passed along my forest! 14th. These forest paths are so varrow and so densely foliaged ach wile "that an army of skilful] warfamuld lie concessed within , handsbreadth of the passer-by. nd thus it was that during he early stages of the war in many small caravans were ttacked by unseen hands or nysteriously disappeared as they rassed from post to post.

"I was able to parauade Cinnau !o bring down some of his tiny Another, and even to drive down! dephant from the hills for Prince William to photographic Photoraphs were taken with the ringe, who is over 6 ft. 5 in., randing with the pygmies whilst hey are making fire with their wimitive fire-sticks in the hamboo dades.".

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General Managers. Hongkong, 26th. January, 1923.

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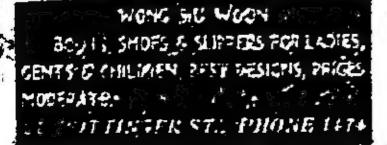
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General Mesting of Sharecolders August, 1887, when the late Mr. in this Company will be held at J. D. Campbell, C.M.G., was the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong London Secretary. As so many Saturday, the 10th. February of the recruits for the Service in 18 Wrought Iron Pipes 214" to 1923, at 1130 am. for the pur- China pass through the London pose of receiving the Report of office, he will be known to many the Directors together with a members, whether of the present Statement of Accounts for the staff or of older men who have

> The Transfer Books of the ber him for his unfailing courtesy Company will be closed from the and ever-ready assistance, and 5th February to the 12th February will wish him many years of good (both days inclusive), durin, health in his retirement.which period no transfer of shares | C. E. & T. can be Registered.

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TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

The longest lawsuit which ever took place in England or indeed in any part of the world, arose in a litigated question respecting certain possessions near Wootton-Edge, in the county of Gloucester, between the heirs of Thomas Talbot Viscount Lisle, on the one part, and the heirs of Lord Berkeley on the other. The suit was instituted towards the, end of the reign of Edward IV. and was still pending in the reign of James I., at which time a compromise thus embracing a period of 120

Fortunately for nature-lovers, the majority of landowners differ from the improvident heir who defined timber as "an excrescence placed on the face of the earth in order to enable one to, pay one's debts." According to B lecture delivered in 1919 by Mr. Henry J. Elwes, FR.S., no other estate in England contains so many large, remarkable, and curious oaks as Bagot's Park, in Staffordshire. "I formed this opinion," Mr. Elwes went on to say, "after having spent about ten years in searching out in England, Scotland, and Ireland all the places where remarkable trees might exist, and in measuring and photographing them The late Lord Bagot, riding a horse with bad shoulders, which Situate near Saigon Street, he said was the best mount he could afford, was asked why he did not cut down £50,000 worth of oaks, as he might do, and never Mark the envelope "FOOTBALL" miss them. 'The Bagots are not timber merchants, he replied."

The recent production of a dramatised version of "Treasure Island" may raise a question as to who now reads Stevenson's immortal yarn. It is read, of course, as much, if not more, than ever. but are the readers adults or children? When the was first published serially in "Young Folks" readers of that journal were far from pleased with it, and when issued in book form it was from grown-ups that it received such an enthusiastic welcome. A short while since, remembering this early rejection, writes a correspondent to a Home paper, I read the story to a crowd of children in one of the poorest districts of London. All were poor, many were ragged, some obviously underfed, but they came night after night and listened with breathless interest and appreciation not only to the exciting episodes of action but to such passages as Long John Messis. DEACON, HARSTON Silver's wonderful gammoning of his confederates in the block Name house what time he was plotting 1, Des Voeux Road Central, to betray them. It was a triumph for "R.L.S." How he might have Messrs. LAMMERT BROTHERS, enjoyed it had he been there to

EASTERN ITEMS.

A Korean, who escaped from of Victoria in the Colony the Japanese gaol at Shanghai of Hongkong Barrister-at- while awaiting transportation to-Nagasaki for trial in connection with the shooting outrage on the Budd, when Mrs. Snyder was killed, is reported to have made

> Automatic telephones will be installed in Shanghai in the beare ginning of April, according to the their statement of the General Man-Telephone Company. While this installation, commencing with the Eastern District, covering over five hundred subscribers, will be more or less in the nature of an experiment, yet the automatic system will be used throughout the settlement in the near future.

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Campaign of Japanese Labour.

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Professor Abe Iso, of Waseda University, was the lecturer. He began with the theories of Malthusianten, and Neo Malthusianism, showing the audience the miserable life of the poor with numerous children and the horrible effects of heredity. He declared that artificial control was not sinful, giving ratious examples of Eugenic practices' He severely criticised current ideas of old morality and religion. The various labour organisations of the line of the Federation are reported to be making arrangements to spread the propaganda

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1923, at St. Mary's Hospital, administration of China, in order Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. S. to put her Government on a Ezekiel, of 34 Seward Road, a

MARRIAGE.

MISKIN-RAM-' n Thursday, February 1st, at St. John's would be "interference" on a Cathedral, by the Bev. V. H. Copley Moyle, Joyce Adye Ram to Geoffrey Miskin.

DEATHS.

SCHWAFF .- On January 25, 1923, at Paulum Hospital, Shang- would shirk, but a time might hai. August Schwaff, in his 43rd. come when it will be absolutely

1923, at 80 North Szechuen Road, Shanghai, Raul Maria, the be- tration continues to grow at the loved son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. present rate, the foreign surgeons Ferras, aged 15 years,

LONGINOTTO .- On January 31st, at No. 3, Cambray Buildings, Kowloon, Leo Longinotto, to effect a cure. solicitor, of Hongkong, aged 47 years. London papers please

The Telegraph.

HONGKONG, 2nd Feb., 1923.

CHINA'S FINANCIAL POSITION.

ernment in most of the provinces, besides the continuous ness to evade her obligations; urrest, prevented a proper ad. and reports to this effect have producing departments. Maritime Customs, Sir F. A of \$96,000,000, and a further ed in the interested of others. \$4,250,000 under the Consolidated Unification Hopes. Loan Service, but after payment be nothing left with which to ernment has earmarked \$13,000, 1000 of the increased Customs receipts for various administral tive expenses of its own.

the state of China's finances and the need for reform in various departments of the Government, we suggested that the time might come when foreign control would

When we last commented on

have to be instituted in order to get the best out of the country. for the benefit alike of bond returned by the Hakone Maru. holders and the Chinese people themselves; and it seems to us more pronounced.

natural wealth is very great indeed, and it only requires proper, . honest, and boyal control of her sources of revenue to save her from going headlong into bankruptcy. The improvement in the revenues from the are fitted with Yale supervision speaks for itself Hongkong by the s.s. President A couple of youngsters appear-bands "have already one or more Incidentally, it is too early yet McKinley. to judge what full Chinese of beneficial results. There are patriots in China who are doing Great Hall of Queen's College. their best to administer their departments for the good of their

country, but much harm is being

A suggestion was made not

Our War Debts.

men who think only of their own profit. Most Chinese officials in possession of a revolver and O'HALLORAN.-On January have so uncertain a tenure that seven cartridges, were preferred 20, 1923, at the Victoria Diamond they bend all their energies to by the Crown against Chan Man, amassing whatever funds they Europeans in the sensational can for themselves before having chase at Wanchai, as reported ROGERS.-On January 24. to give place to successful rivals | yesterday. A formal remand of

long ago that the Powers should EZEKIEL .- On January 25, arrange a convention for the perfectly sound basis and end the suicidal faction fighting and waste of treasure that is going they wished to see one of the inon month after month. That mates, whose name they gave. big scale, and the Chinese people would be sure to think they were being exploited by the foreigners. For this reason klone, it would be a task that most of the Powers

necessary to intervene. If Shields, who last spring delight- At the close, "Kid" Marriot gave FERRAS.—On January 25, China's cancer of mal-administed the patrons of the Repulse a very interesting exhibition bout might have no option but to perform a forcible operation in order

stay. Since leaving Hongkong the tournament is also due to the they have enjoyed a successful other officials, Mr. G. W. Reeve tour, visiting Shanghai, Manila. (who acted as referee), Mr. J. C. Saigon, and, according to press (timekeeper) and P. O. Tel. Smith notices, have earned for them- and Stoker P. O. McLaren (the selves even a higher reputation seconds). One step towards a strengthen- than they had before. Mr. Hender ing of Anglo-American relations hopes to organise a Jazz Band

for the repayment of the War Debt. Our indebtedness to Our Picture Page to morrow the United States comes to about a billion sterling, and on that will contain a photograph of the sum we have been paying interest three big Empress liners moored stating that a rumour prevailed at the rate of five per cent. The in harbour: group of the Army yesterday to the effect that recent negotiations in Washing-Rugby team; the Royal En-General Ngai Bong-ping had been ton have lessened the burden gineers' team which won the liberated, but this was found to be We had occasion to comment a very considerably, because the Garrison. Tennis League: two untrue. He is still in custody, few weeks ago on the precarious new arrangement is that interest groups of mon from H.M.S. but is being given the very best position of China's finances, when of three per cent. is to be paid Forglove who won the stokers treatment. It is stated that the kindly publish this denial in the for the first ten years, and three- whalers aggregate cup, and the American and Japan Consuls will next issue of your paper, and referring to the default made in and-a-half thereafter, the period Centurion and aggregate cups in again shortly appeal for his oblige. payment of the interest due on of repayment to be sixty years: the China Station sloop regatta; release. certain foreign loans. We point- The situation is thus materially a photo of stoker P. O. Morgan, ed out then that much of the relieved, and a question which winner of the welterweight man is now on the Shameen and has been causing as deal boxing champoinship of the that the two secretaries in the country's revenue went into the of heart-burning is thus Colony; a portrait of the new Civil Governor's department

been inspired, we have no doubt, Corps, to be used in the con-soldiers have retreated to Whamministration of the revenue- by a wish to discredit our motives struction of roads, etc. This, as pos, which they have made their Very in seeking for a full and frank we have before remarked, is an stronghold pending the return serious news now comes from discussion of the whole problem excellent acheme on paper, but of Sun Yat-sen. Peking concerning the outlook of war indebtedness. The larger the trouble will be to induce parti. The Kwangsi commanders have for this year. As the message asatisfactory solution, and we fear we published yesterday stated, it will be many a long day before upon which they rely for but the latter has only seven gunthe Inspector-General of the Britain will get her just dues in their power. Still, that is boats, the others having gathered Traser, W. B. Haslett, W. L. this respect. In the meantime, a matter for discussion at a at Kongmoon under the comall that we can do is to go on round-table conference, and it is mand of Chan Chak, who has been Aglen, estimates a big deficit for cheerfully paying interest on a gratifying to note that the appointed to the same post by Sun 1923. There is a loan obligation loan which was mainly contract. Premier suggests a meeting of Yat-sen and is now said to be We suppose it is something to is, in line with a proposal made left the river fleet and gone over Its Legalisation Opposed. of other dues out of the Customs the good that the Premier of some months ago by General to Chan Chak's command. On revenue it is estimated there will China has indicated his agree. Chan King-ming. If such a account of the lack of patrol Peking, Feb. 1.—The Directors ment with the main points of Sun gathering could reach agreement measures, the riverways are in of the International Anti-Opium Yat-sen's recent manifesto. In a on the military problem, we ought fested with pirates. meet these obligations. Over land where political disagreement to be on a fair way to the secur- General Li Yik-piu, the Kwang- manimously passed a resolution and above this, the Chinese Gov- is so common, it is refreshing to ing of unification. We wish the si commander-in-chief, has alter- to the effect that the Association

DAY BY DAY.

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Capt. and Mrs. F. T. Wheeler

The only fall of rain registered that the need for some such at the Botanic Gardens during Yard Police, who has been acting intervention is becoming ever January was 0.21-inch on the as coach for the college, some

> shows one case of diphtheria to be extremely high, the full report of my words as given (Chinese).

pointed chief of the Quarantine amply made up for in energy and in assisting women who, on arrival Salt Gabelle under foreign Service at Manila, arrived in pluck.

control of the postal system will The 6th. Hongkong [Ellis produce, but we are not hopeful Kadoorie School) Troop of Boy they ent red into the contest Scouts is giving a concert and Cheung Wing-yau came out of display to-morrow night in the

Charges of participation in the Yee Woo Street armed robbery, third round an extra one was andone by the many unscrupulous of shooting at Mr. W. R. Andrews and Inspector Kerrison, R.N.Y.P. with intent to kill, and of being by this round. He appeared to are happy and successful, was not the Chinese arrested by the a week was ordered by the Mag-

> Two men, one armed with a revolver and the other with a dagger, paid a visit to No. Anton Street yesterday afternoon. They secured admittance on to the third floor by pretending that Once inside, the usual procedure in an armed robbery was carried out, the victims being bound and lgagged; and the house ransacked. The haul which the robbers made in this case is stated to be worth

istrate (Mr. J. R. Wood).

Mr. Will Hender and Miss Rita against three other competitors. Bay Hotel with their jazz play- in conjunction with Talek Singh. ing and singing respectively, will one of his older pupils and a be pleased to learn that they are promising local boxer. again in the Colony for a short Great credit for the success of has been registered by Britain either here or in Manila to take agreeing to America's terms on tour through India.

pockets of dishonest officials, and disposed of to the mutal satisfac. Governor of Macao (Mr. daily visit him for the purpose of that the corrupt system of gov- tion of both Governments. There Rodrigues); and picture showing receiving instructions. has, of course, never been any H.M.S. Moorhen off Wuchow suggestion of Britain's unwilling- during the recent troubles there. General Ngai Bong-ping and the

> representatives of the Peking preparing to carry out an attack Government and the country's on the other boats. The commilitary leaders. Incidentally, this manders of four cruisers have find two men of the same way of movement every success, as there ed the name of his army from is absolutely opposed to legalisation. One of Sun's chief is nothing we desire more to see Kwangsi Army to Cantonese tion of the opium traffic in China proposals is the disbandment of than peace and progress in China, Army and has given notice that and is shortly making a full statehalf the existing troops and the but at the moment we are not too misdirected documents will in ment of its views on the subject. creation therefrom of a Labour optimistic.

SCHOOL BOXING.

THE WORLD AND ITS TEACHERS | Bouts at Queen's College.

At Queen's College yesterday afternoon, the semi-finals and finals of the pupils' annual boxing tournament were fought out, and they provided an interesting insight into the ready adaptation of Chinese to this class of spor Under the able tuition of "Kid" Marriot, D.C.M., of the Naval fifty pupils have been enrolled in the classes, and though the standard of boxing seen in yester.

ing in the flyweight class showed wives. up in good contrast against the slashing methods of the first man-to only one wife, and the couple by the precision with which marriages in question are conthis to meet the other winner, M Sabban, in the final of the fly- of that law. I urged that the weights. There was very little to Society should take steps to see schoose between the two, and decision not being reached in the marriages does fulfil the condinounced. Sabbam was out to make have the greater weight and proceeded to force Chaung to defensive tactics. The referee's announcement made some allowance for Sabbam's weight by declaring the bout a draw.

Li Sing-cho was considered to be the most scientific fighter in the bantam-weight class but he retired after a good display at the end of the first round, the being awarded Ramzan. The Indian boy the final found himself con fronted with Chang Shu-fan Ranzan's style greatly amused the audience, but his wariness was not disconcerting to the other, and what was a fairly even match eventually resulted in the decision being given to Ramzan as being the slightly better boxer of the two.

In the final of the light-weights Ip Kur-ying lost to Leung Shiuman after a fast bout. A blindfold boxing item resolved itself The many Hongkong friends of into a win for Ramzan,

CANTON CHAOS.

Ngai Treated Well.

A Canton correspondent writes

It is reported that Wu Hon-

Consequent on the detention of disarming of the Cantonese forces, various bodies of citizen

future be ignored.

CORRESPONDENCE.

(To the Editor of the "Hangkong Telegraph.")

East And West.

Sir,-Your correspondent," Matrimony, in his letter to you, published in your issue of February 1st., says that at the recent meeting of the Benevolent Society J urged the Society to "take measures through the Colonial Office for the suppression of marriages between Asiatics and European girla."

Yesterday's health return day's bouts could not be said If "Matrimony" had read the (Briffish) and one of enteric fever average was good considering in some of the papers, he of she the short time since this sport was would have seen that I said no introduced into the physical such thing. My remarks wholly training of the College. What referred to the difficulties encoun-Dr. H. F. Smith, recently ap- the pupils lacked in science they tered by this and similar Societies in the East, find that their "hus-

The law in England entitles a ducted under English law, which naturally presumes that the man is complying with the conditions a that if possible, the man in such tions of that law.

The question of legitimate a win in the short time permitted marriages, of which no doubt many under consideration.

Yours etc. H.B.L. DOWBIGGIN. Hongkong, Feb. 2nd., 1923.

Why?

Sir.—As an admirer of Gilbert and Sullivan operas, I should be interested to know why, and for what reason, "The Mikado" has been banned in this Colony. This opera was first produced in March, 1885, under the title of "The Mikado," or "The Town of Titipu." Perhape, had it been produced here under the latter title, it would have passed.

It is acknowledged to be the favourite of Gilbert and Sullivan's operas and has been re-produced again and again with great success... It seems to me to be positively ludicrous that it should be banned in a British Colony.

Yours etc., ODAKIM. Hongkong, Feb. 2nd., 1923.

A Denial.

Sir,-Referring to your report in last night's issue of your Java, Singapore, Bangkok and Fletcher (M.C.) P. O. Davis paper, of the public examination of Mr. S. E. Greenfield, particularly to that part of Mr. Greenfield's evidence wherein he is reported to have testified that debtor arranged through Mr. Mohideen to borrow from the Compradore of Sincere's," we wish to emphatically and categorically deny the existence at any time of any such arrangement. Further, we have never atany time been approached by Mohideen for a loan on China Provident shares, either on his own account or on the account of Mr. Greenfield.

We shall be glad if you will

Yours etc., THE SINCERE CO., LTD. M. Chan Harr. Macaging Director. Hongkong, Feb. 1st., 1923.

CRICKET.

Kowloon C. C. 2nd. XI are to meet the R. E. at Kowloon on Saturday at 2.15 p.m. The home team will be: -A. O. Brawn, B. Petheram, E. J. Edwards, H.

OPIUM TRAFFIC.

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NEWS.

SOUTH SEA TREASURE HUNT.

A Ship-Load of Optimists.

A San Francisco report of

December 12th, states:bark Narwhal sets sail for the South seas on a search for hidden treasure in January she will carry a crew of talent the like which had never before put out to sea on adventure bent, according to Captain Charles Arey, who will skipper the expedition. Already ten adventuresome young men 100 applicants, and they to t pm at.

Of the ten already signed up by Seas for treasure troye, one is a physician; the second. attorney; the third, a forme the sixth and seventh, veterans of doctor of jurisprudence, with degrees from Heidelbergt and the tenth, an Annapolis graduate, who was named by Waller Camp as one of the mythical All American football team. When the Narwhal sails forth from San Francisco, with Captain Arey on the bridge, he will have as his first mate the aforesaid former football player from Annapolis. The physician who has been signed up, naturally will function as the ship's doctor. The balance will be compelled to stand watch. like all true sailors, although Captain Arey will carry as flossy a crew as ever shook out a skysail. Of the spore of applicants who yearn for adventure is a former army officer whose selfrecommendation is that he recently bought his way out of the army and, therefore, is perfeetly footloose. Two husky young men from Saskatchewan offer their twin strength as an inducement and one chap wrote in to say that his good looks might round out the crew.

A Standford graduate says he is "ravin" to go," and still another Stanford graduate, a China polished geologist, who, by his feet. own admission, speaks French. German, Italian and English, and, therefore, might prove of value in touching at various ports of the South seas. Each of the twenty men who will be named by Captain Arey to sail will be required to post \$800 as his share of out. Stowaways From South Africa. and on the point of departure, but fitting the Narwhal. applicant wrote that he could not muster more than \$600, butiwas which at first mystified the reliable bird. certain he could put in sufficient authorities, have been installed hard work at any job to more than at the London Zoo. compensate for his lack of

port of call will be Samoa. After molished. • that our movements will be secret. Their identity remained un- 655] for expenses incurred by the treasure will be split, share and lettuce. They chose iris, and Muspratt, bad no intention of share alike. The crew will not seemed to relish it. share in our find, but will work It has since been discovered ploited by foreigners. Their

EARL OF BALFOUR ON TELEPATHY.

One Soul In Several Bodies?

his Gifford lectures at Glasgow the common drinker moth larvæ case of Afghanistan. University recently, dealt with take a drop of dew. the question of telepathic communication.

said, that in certain rare cases captivity in Britain. what passed in one mind was known to another mind without that process of physical interpretation which, in the ordinary, was the only method by which some could communicate with

soul. brother Gerald had advanced a "picture brides" arriving here in interests. very interesting theory connected 1921 totaled 555, compared with Sir Hamilton Grant, who was and with Western statesmen, with multiple personality. He 1,288 in 1912, according to an an- Foreign Secretary to the Govern- and his conclusion was that the (Gerald) did not think it neces- nouncement made here by R. L. ment of India during most of the Afghan was at least as trustsary, or perhaps even probable, Halsey, inspector in charge of the war period, said the only endur- worthy in fulfilling his obligations that a particular organisation United States immigration service. ing means of maintaining good as his Western contemporary or

one soul. truths of religious experience, in brides." higher beings'

KILLING PREDATORY ANIMALS.

Story of a Giant Grizzly.

Devotees of hunting as a sport When the sturdy three-mast report of the work done by the the Mission headed by Sir Henry itk Narwhal sets sail for the Biological Survey of the United Dobbs which, after eleven months inspectors. The result has been and brought out facts which have have been sified from more than greatly to reduce the "tooth-and- not before been made public. He re- fang tax "upon stockmen, which took the opportunity to pay a present a variety of high-class before this active campaign began, warm tribute to the highity of the professions, which suit the amounted to between twenty and late Ameer Habibultah Khan to

Captain Arey to search the South by the Government's hunters tan. during that yeriod of nearly 31.- The present Ameer was, he army officer; the fourth and fifth, lynxes, 687 timber wolves, 173 the country; he was a very much the Canadian army; the eighth, a in addition, 50,000 covote- were perhaps too impulsive—and vigor-1000 for the year, to say nothing offices in regular rotation, skins of the animals killed.

It is estimated that within four reverse. If he had a hobby it years he had killed between \$25,- | was for building. weighing 1,500 lbs. The stockmen down the throats of others. had offered for his hide bounties | Colonel Muspratt said that ranging from \$100 to \$500 but throughout the long drawn private, hunters and trappers had negotiations the course of externsimply wasted their time in al affairs—such as the situation trying to get him. At last an in India, the varying fortunes of agent of the Department of the Turco Greek fighting, and the Agriculture was successful after Bolshevist intrigues—was reflecta thrilling hunt in which the ed in the atmosphere of the disgrizzly was stopped by a bullet cussions. If a chart on medical when only fifteen feet away. He lines had been kept, it would have was found to weigh 1,500 lbs., and shown hectic variations. An unese, wants to take a chance. Still when standing erect could have favourable atmosphere was found another candidate for the crew is reached up to a height of eight to extend to small details, such as

" MYSTERY " CATERPILLARS.

ment of lilies from Caps Town, end most questions were settled "We will sail out of San Fran- and found the larvae busily between the Ameer and Sir Henry cisco Bay not later than January devouring the remains of the Dobbs together. One of the 1," Captain Arey said. "One first plants, which were almost de- Afghan negotiators put in a claim

I am convinced there is a large discovered for several days, country for remaining neutral amount of hidden treasure in the during which time they were during the war. South seas. If we recover it, the fed with rose leaves, iris, and The Afghans, said Colonel

for wages, just like any other that the caterpillars are those of natural tendency was, to be exthe South African moth, diaphone clusive, and they were ambitious, eumels, which feeds upon lilies which "encouraged them in at present unobtainable by the thoughts of territorial expansion. society.

> like those of the common silk. Kabul, and any opening which, worm moth, but with red and Russia might give would be black spots, are great drinkers. their iris leaves they immediately and Islam which were beginning

There is, I believe, no record of anyone having successfully check by our ability to hold what

FEWER "PICTURE BRIDES.

Lord Balfour said that his Honolulu, January 3.—Japanese the power to protect our own had considerable experience of

said, is that many of the modern on terms of friendiness and good His lordship added it was worth Japanese young men are seeking will with the Afghans. Too often

pass it," he said.

ELEVEN MONTHS IN KABUL

Afghan as a Negotiator.

Colonel S. F. Muspratt, Indian will read with mixed feelings the Army, was a military member of States Department of Agriculture of negotiation, settled the terms in protecting the herds and flocks of the Afghan Treaty of Novemof the West against predatory ber, 1921. In a lecture to the animals. The Survey regularly Central Asian Society, at the employs at present no less than Royal United Service Institution 150 trained and seasoned hunters, last month, he gave many interestwhose work is supervised by 30 ing sidelights on the experience redoubtable skipper from keel thirty million dollars annually. his engagements towards us by The scalps and skins turned in remaining neutral in the war, during the past year furnish and he cave a character sketch

> 000 animals-including 27,185 said, by far the most outstanding coyotes, 2,827 bobcats and Canada personality the Mission met in mountain lions, and 114 stock- bigger man than his uncle or his destroyed by poison. The con- oue, and was inspired by a strong sequent saving in stock is believed desire for "the progress of his to amount to more than \$4,000, country. He visited his public of a sum of \$283,000 turned into and his personal supervision of the Treasury from the sale of the affairs extended to minor details. He was pursuing a vigorous The report gives some account policy of educational advanceof the individual history of some ment. He lived a simple life of these animal brigands. There without ostentation, save on was a grizzly bear in Arizona, for special ceremonial occasions. He instance, which had been killing | was not at allextravagant; indeed cattle every spring for 'ten years, his tendency was somewhat the

> 000 and \$30,000 worth of live The Ameer possessed and destock, and that in his life-time manded a very high standard of he was responsible for damages pulic service. This was good: amounting to no less than \$75,000. but one effect was to develop Within one week he had killed among the officials a form of twelve head of cattle, among priggishness which lied them too! them a pure-bred Hereford bull constantly to ram their virtues

> the abstention of Afghan officials from continuing to seek the advice of the British medical officer, as was their wont. The tedium of the negotiations was varied by a succession of ultimatums and last words. More than once the mission was packing up the dove with the olive branch! A number of exotic caterpillars, arrived in time. It was a most

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allowing their country to be ex-The position in Central Asia was The larvar, which are much being very closely watched in readily seized. The germs of Whenever the keeper sprays future conflict between Russia The Earl of Balfour, continuing lap up the water as thirstily as to appear were not absent in the

The ambitions of the country southwards could best be held in He had practically no doubt, he reared the new caterpillars in we had got. Concession under pressure was not theway to gain Afghan respect. He saw no reason why the present satisfactory relations with Kabul should not be maintained. We should show continuous understanding and sympathy, while making i clear that we had the will and

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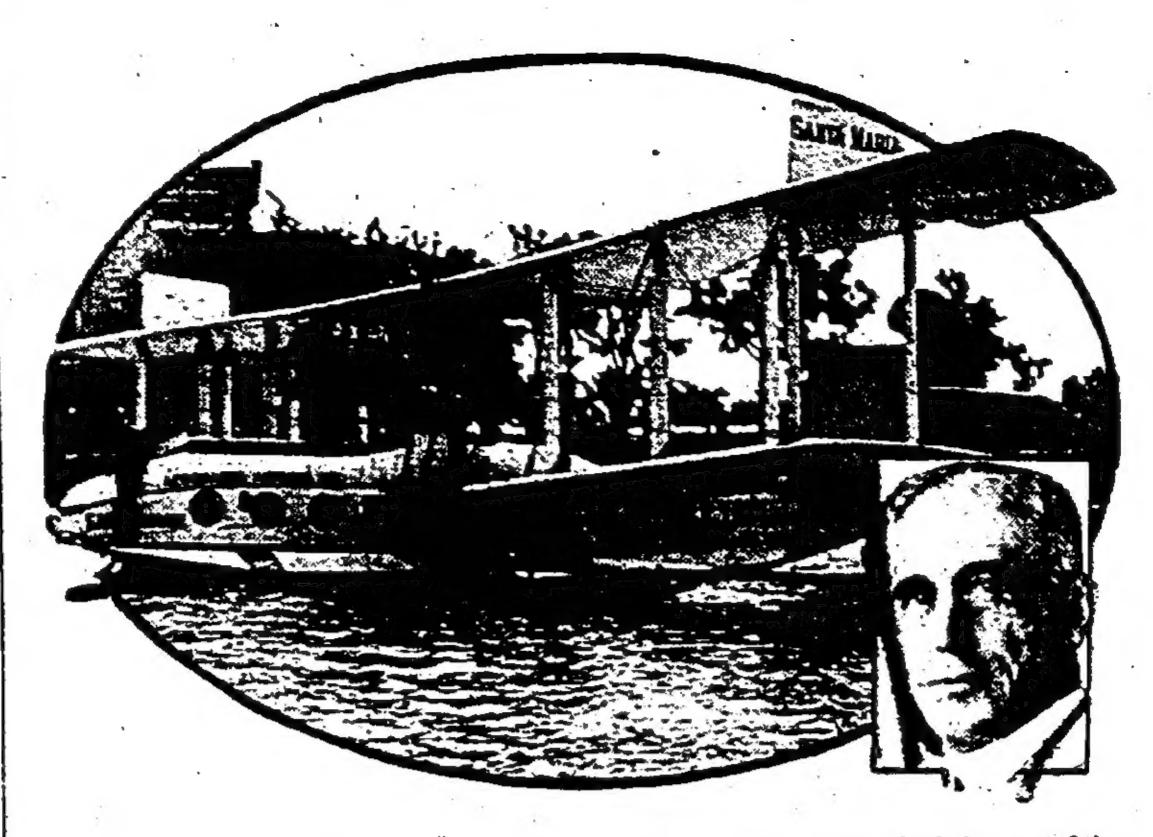
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The Duke of Leinster (left) and Mr. W. W. Nutting. American sportsman, who are now in New York, discussing details of the transatlantic ketch race which will take place next summer. The Duke and Mr. Nutting will set out single-handed in ten-ton ketches.



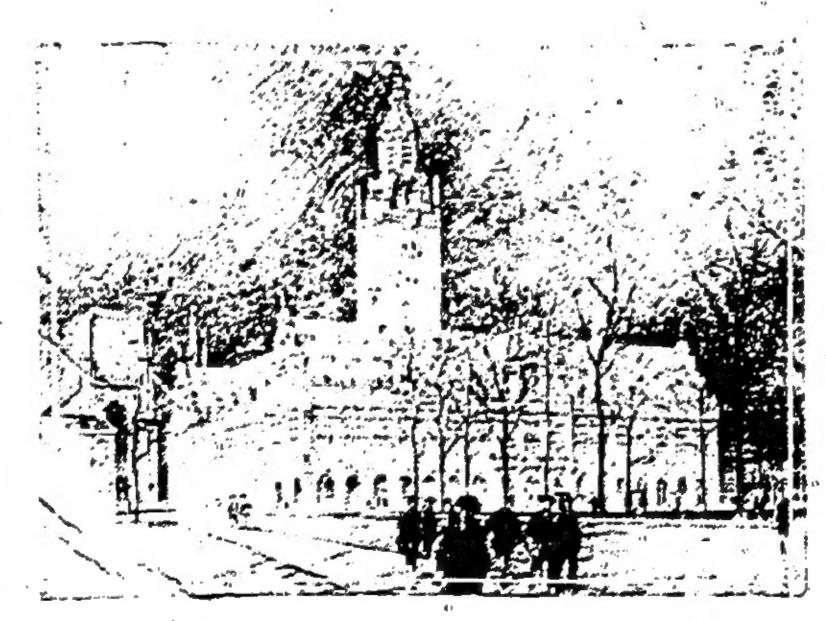
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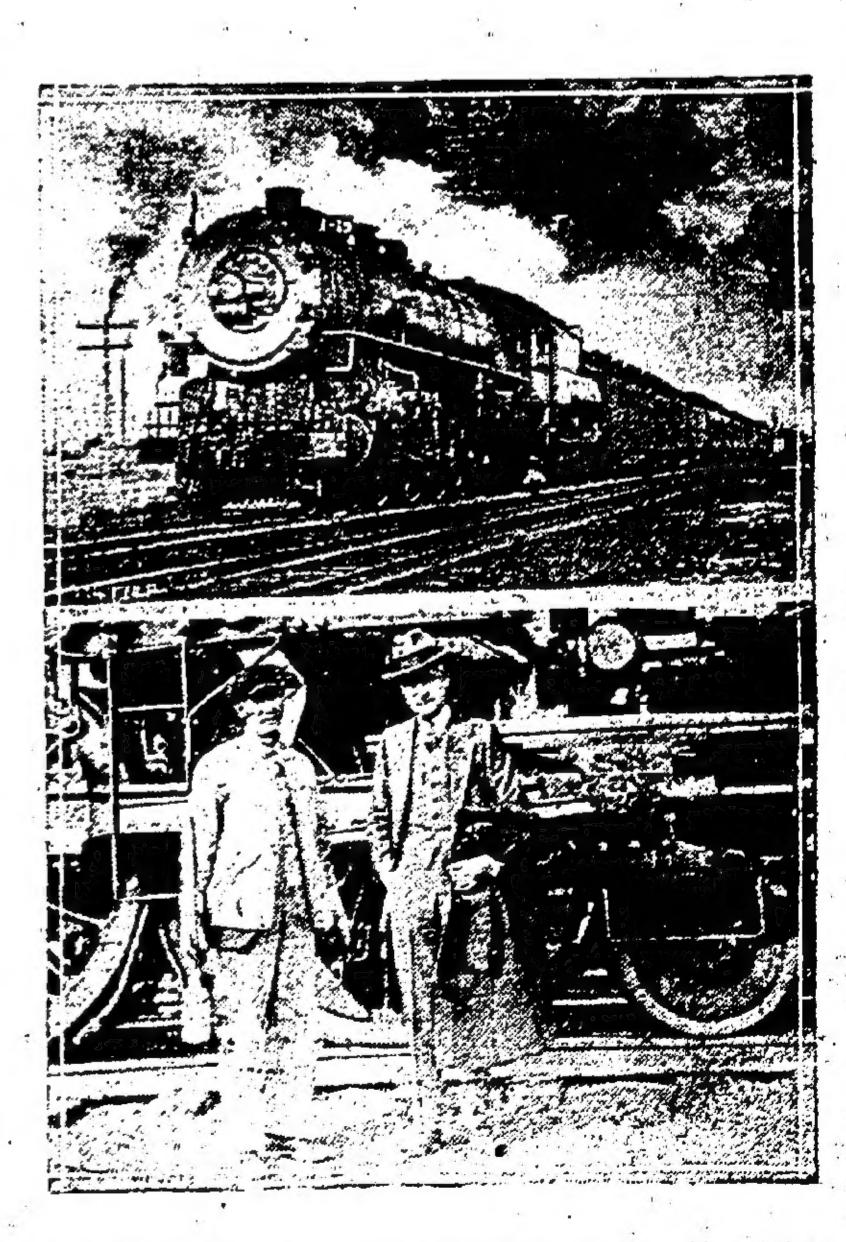
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COINAGE PROBLEMS.

Why Recent Issues are Inferior.

minded by the debate in the by the managing director of the House of Commons, since we business in which they were emhave seen a really coautiful issue ployed to use less "make-up" of English coins. The Mint, it is during office hours. true, has mastered to some extent! The director in question gave the difficulty of the nickel alloy his views on the question of which has been used in the silver cosmetics to a Paily Chroniche coinage for the last two or three representative. "The amount of years, and is anxious to secure good make-up used by young women workmanship, but, as Mr. G. F. workers is startling," he said. Hill. Keeper of Coins at the "I am not referring to powder British Museum, pointed out re or face cream, but to rouge, cently in an Cherrer interview, highly coloured lipsalve, and there is little prospect of seeing a eyebrow pencils. Some of perfect issue again until the the girls who come to my office Government and the public take look like actresses viewed sufficient interest in this kind of from the front row of art to insist on training engravers the stalls. Off the stage actresses. for the work of directly engraving have too much discretion to make the dies and on using better themselves conspicuous and un-

striking modern coins is," Mr the liberty of my employees, but Hill said, "that we have to strike I have been compelled to ask enormous numbers. It is the some of my typists to restrain same difficulty that we have their enthusiasm for make-up. with all mass production, Some of my provincial clients whether coins, textiles, or any have been shocked to find such thing else. To keep the quality made-up faces in a London is extraordinarily difficult. The office. first impressions are all right, but

happens. "To explain it, we must remem- a City office. The blank metal is between the tractive," she said. two dies, and if you strike a great number of coins the design City girl to get plenty of of the lower die has its effect up- fresh air when the greater on the upper die. By constantly part of bringing the upper die down on be spent within four walls. the lower die the pressure goes Employers dislike unhealthy King's head becomes defined on finding a good position doubly the upper die. If you look at a difficult. penny you will probably see this effect.

"Then there is another trouble reverse which does not come up, employer suspects its existence. owing to the lack of metal to fill the space between the two dies, the Mint being only allowed to use a certain amount of metal. With the present thickness of the coins of his material; he is thinking of it is impossible to arrange the blank metal so that the whole of

the design comes up. LARGE-SCALE MODELS. direct by hand; that is to say, torted in this finer result. they were cut into the metal by | "The problem is considerable. a craftsman with gravers, and How are we going to get a modern

dies has almost disappeared. early in the nineteenth century, to solve it. gives a reproduction of the large model on the scale of the actual coins. This reproduction is used as a punch to make the dies, and from these dies the coins are the fourteenth and fifteenth

be a man who does not know any- end of the fifteenth century. Even thing about art on a small scale. in the very low relief of those You cannot expect to make a coins you had beautiful profile good design for a small coin out portraits. I do not suggest Pedro de Masoris, Sanches Santisgo. Of a large piece of sculpture we should copy them, but it by simply reducing it me- would be a great thing if we had chanically any more than you engravers who could study these can expect to make a good son- good models and see how, the net by boiling down an epic." And principles which they exemplify for this reason: that the laws could be adapted to modern conwhich regulate the light and ditions. shade and the arrangement of correct instinctively any error. "SENSE OF THE MATERIAL."

hard metal, then he is liable to better to say inspiration.

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Should Women Workers "Make Up."?

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mechanical methods of product attractive by the exaggerated

use of cosmetics. "One of the difficulties about "I do not like to interfere with

The use of make-up was stoutthen a very remarkable thing ly defended by a young woman holding a responsible position in

ber that the coinage is struck be- | "Girls who have to spend the tween two dies, a lower and an best part of eight hours daily in upper die, the lower for the head an office are obliged to make up side and the upper for the tail side if they wish to look well and at-

right through the piece of metal looking girls. A pale face andthat is placed between them, and years to any woman's appeargradually the outline of the ance, and makes the job of

"Careful make-up is a great help, and although there are some women foolish enough to with modern coins. If you look lay on rouge with a trawel there at a half-crown, for instance, you are dozens of women who are will generally find that there is a made up, but whose make-up is portion of the coat-of-arms on the applied so skilfully that no

> find that he has not got the sense plaster or wax when he is modelling in a way that suits those materials instead of the way

which suits hard metal. Look at the coins of Edward "These are examples of the VII. and George V.: excellent minor mechanical difficulties portraits the orginal models were. you get with this enormous but quite unsuitable to coinage, production. There is another because the man who modelled. difficulty, very much more them was not thinking of the serious, which concerns the whole coinage, and the details, which of the modern art of coinage. In might have been all right on his the old days dies were engraved large plaster model, became dis-

sometimes he used small punches school of engravers who will profor the details, as well as for the duce dies direct for the use of the complete head. At the present engraving machine? There is day the art of directly engraving no reward for engravers now; there is not sufficient demand What is generally done now is for them, and it is work which to ask an artist, and usually an requires an immense amount of artist who has no experience of patience and a great many years" engraving at all, or, at any rate, training. And so long as the no experience of working on a Government and the public do not minute scale like a gem-engraver, take an interest in this kind of to make a design for the coinage art and are satisfied with the If he is a sculptor he models in easiest methods of reproduction plaster on a large scale and gives there is no remedy. Fortunately this plaster model to the Mint, in the present Deputy Master of who make a metal casting from the Mint we have a man who is and put it on the k-enly aware of the problem, and, reducing-machine. This reduct if I may venture to say so, is ing machine, which was invented setting to work on the right lines

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"There are no more beautiful planes when you are modelling coins in the world than the Greek on a large scale are not the same coins of the fine period, but the as when you are working on the technique is not suitable for minute scale of the coins. If your modern conditions. Coins that large model is reduced mechanic- have to be packed in rouleaux, as ally you get wrong results. If ours have to be packed, cannot you were reducing it by free be in high relief. The coins of the band then your ar ist's eye would fourteenth and fifteenth centuries frankly dispensed with it altogether and kave beautiful patterns ir quite low relief. Personally, I "There is also another point cannot see any reason why they If your original artist is modelling should not be taken as models for in wax or plaster and has no ex- the modern coinage. When I perience of actually engraving in say models, perhaps it would be PACIFIC SHIPPING



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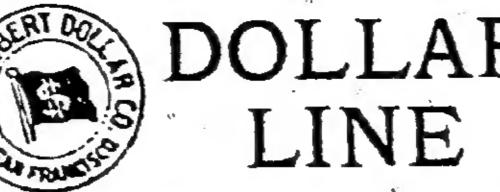
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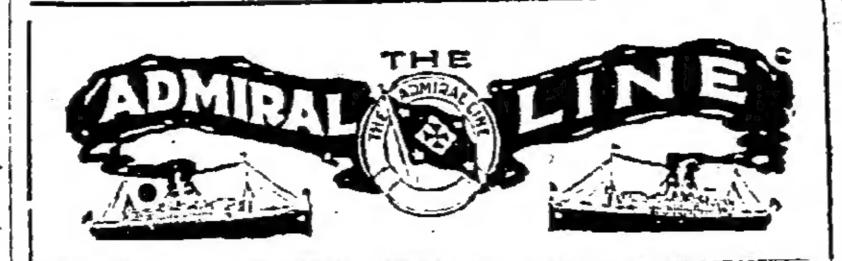
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Goldfield. A Rauter Melbourne telegram recently announced the death at Port Darwin of Mr. David Lind-

say, the Australian explorer. Mr. Lindsay was born at Goolwa, South Australia, of Scottish parents, on June 20, 1856. After a private education he entered the South Australian Survey Department at the age of 16, and six years later became Junior Surveyor of the Northern Territory. In 1883 he explored Arnham Land, N. T., and the following year he was engaged in the exploration of the north-west of South Australia.

Mr. Lindsay engaged in some adventurous undertakings, one of which was his ride across Australia from North to South in 1888, with only a small black boy for companion. After surveying, exploring, and prospecting the MacDonnel Ranges in Central Australia in 1889-90. and leading the Elder Scientific Exploring Expedition, he made a notable journey in 1891 across the great Victoria district, covering 550 miles in 35 days, the 12 camels having only 712 gallons of water each for the whole journey. It was on this journey that a valuable auriferous area was discovered, on the report of which prospectors went out and found the great goldfield of West Australia. Mr. Lindsay himself stayed in the goldfield for four years, assisting in the exploitation of the vast mineral belt. As recently as 1920 Mr. Lindsay was continuing his explorations in the Northern Territory.

ANALYSIS OF PLUM-PUDDING.

To the scientist nothing is sacred, not even Christmas pudding, of which Mr. Edwyn G. Clayton published the following analysis some years ago: - Water. 35.58; nitrogenous substances, 4:5; far. 5.20; (sugar glucose); 23 89; dextrin. 12.93; starch. 11.14: cellulose, 5.31; soluble ash, .92; insoluble ash, .20; other miscellaneous "substances. .58. From this it appears, as Mr. Clayton points out, that "the ratio of nitrogenous comporents to carbo hydrates, excluding cellulose but including fat calculated into its starch equivalent, is 1.14" and that the nutrient value, "the sum of the percentages of nitrogenous substances, sugar, dextrin, starch, and fat calculated into its starch equivalent," is 64.9.

"It is not easy," he adds, "to compare precisely other articles of diet with plum-pudding as regards nutrient value, but probably dried figs and dates approximate to it somewhat closely." However, sinking the scientist in the mere man, Mr. Clayton winds up by admitting that Christmas pudding is "a triumph of the "culinary craft."

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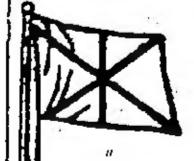
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The Manda Daily Enfletin of January 29th, states:

Lieutenant-Commander E. H. Douglass, paymaster of the U.S.S. Huron, flagship of the Asiatic Fleet, ended his life with a hullet through the head, fired, it is believed with suicidal intent, yesterday morning, about 11 o'clock, while in his state-room aboard ship. He died almost instantly, life having fled when a Chinese messboy, attracted by the report of the revolver, investigated and found the body.

According to Captain C. D. Stearns, commanding the Huron. Douglass had been in a worried state of mind for several days due to the discovery of a shortage in the stores of the ship's canteen. .

"This shortage was discovered by the paymaster himself after the desertion from the naval service of the man detailed in charge of the canteen." Captain Stearns said. " Paymaster Douglass felt keenly the loss and his worry probably caused him to take his life. He was an able naval officer and it is felt that his devotion to duty caused excessive worry in this matter and a final breakdown.

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Per 11 President Pierce, for San Francisco via ports, Feb. 1.-Mr. R Analex, Mr. Ernst Becker, M M. Wells Branch, Mrs. May Branch Master John Ceeil Branch, Maste Paul Wm Branch, Miss Mary Branch, Mr. J. H. Cooper, Mrs. W. "Hawaiin Girls," in which N. Campbell, Mr. Chan Ming-yim members of the Company found Mrs. S. Heidelbach, Miss M. John The settings and the peculiar, john, Mr. Lui Man-chan, Mrs. Louis baunting melodies combined to Shee. Rev. and Mrs. T. V. Mol K. Nishiyama, Mr. H Sprungli, denke, Miss M. Moldenke, Mr. H | Mr. Watkinson, Mrs. F. Wheeler, N. Morris, Mrs. W. A. McVcon. Mr. W. M. A. Anderson, Mr. T. Mr. Quan Chong, Mr. and Mrs. J Brun, Mr. A. B Fleisher, Master J. Roscelli, Mrs. A. L. Raw, Miss. L. Gonella Miss K. Huber, Mrs. W. M. Raw, Mrs. M. M. Saleebey, L. I. Koch, Mr. J. J. Meister, Mr. Miss A. Saleebey, Miss S. Saleebey, M. Samia, Mr. M. Tokuda, Mrs. Mr and Mrs. Hiland R. Smith, Mr and Mrs. Wm. M. Stratton, Mr. and Brun, Mr. A. Gandossi, Miss B. Mrs. Leo H. Wise, Mr. F. G. Wallis Haggas, Miss B. V. Jennings, Mrs. Wong Chung, Dr. C. H. Yeager, Mr. Y. Shindo, Mr. J. H. Vomel, Sprout, Miss S. Sellner, Miss F. E. zaki. Barkes, Mr. Chung Hung-chang, Ma T. K. Lam, Mr. B. J. Lazarus, Mr. W. J. Anderson, Mr. J. Alkin, Capt. and Mrs. R. L. Christian, Muster E. K. Christian, Mr. W. E. Dunnett Mr. M. Ezra, Miss R. Sopher, M. opened this morning at Moutrie's, Robert Pang, Mr. J. A. Gumbrecht.

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WEATHER REPORT.

Feb. 2d. 12h. 15m -Pressure has decreased slightly to moderately at the majority of reporting stations. It it nearly stationary over the Philippines.

The anticyclone has weakened further. A depression lies to the N E. of Japan. Fresh monsoon may be expected slong the S.E. coast of China

and over the N. China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 1.00 inch. Total since January ist 0.13 inches, against an average of 1.58 inches.

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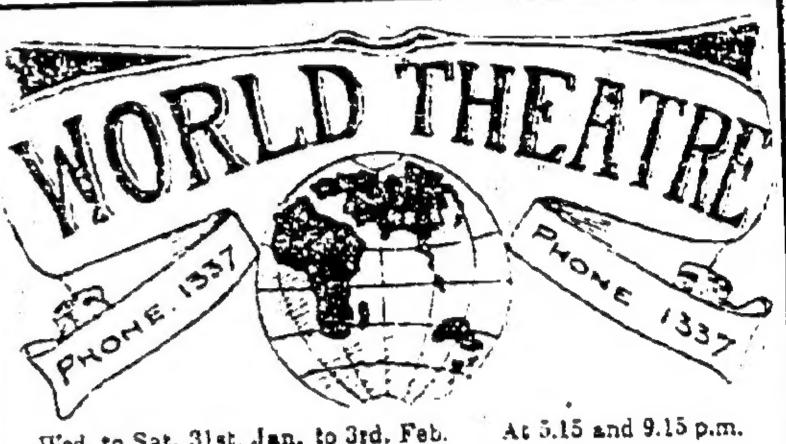
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